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Morgan May Retire

New York, Jan. 30.—Rumors of practical retirement from active business by J. P. Morgan, circulated and denied a day or two ago when J. P. Morgan, Jr., arrived from London, are reiterated today by the American, which declares that Mr. Morgan, Jr., has determined to shift the burden of his great interests to his son and spend a large part of his time hereafter in England at Alderham Abbey.

Dies At Old Age.

Chicago, Jan. 30.—Sprightly and active until within two days of her death, Mrs. Julia Flynn is dead at the age of 100 years. Bronchial troubles and weakness of the heart brought to an end her century of existence. Mrs. Flynn was born in County Mayo, Ireland, in 1804. Three of six children survive her, and 12 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren are living.

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RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts	\$298,300 68
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	2,192 32
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	12,500 00
Stocks, securities, etc.	\$2,200 00
Other real estate owned	6,000 00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	6,144 78
Due from State Banks and Bankers	94,405 57
Due from approved reserve agents	156,414 72
Checks and other cash items	52 62
Notes of other National Banks	165 00
Nickels and cents	167 53
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:	
Specie	\$133,000 00
Legal tender notes	90 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (6 per cent of circulation)	625 00
Due from U. S. Treasurer, other than 6 per cent redemption fund	990 00
Total	\$793,158 22
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$50,000 00
Surplus fund	50,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	18,292 16
National Bank notes outstanding	12,500 00
Dividends unpaid	1,000 00
Individual deposits subject to check	\$407,789 23
Demand certificates of deposit	163,576 82
Total	\$793,158 22

State of Oregon, County of Clatsop, ss:
I, S. S. Gordon, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

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BEDE RATHER PLEASED BE- CAUSE WEALTH IS INCREASING**New Member From Minnesota Makes Initial Appearance in New York City.**

New York, Jan. 30.—Congressman J. Adam Bede, who amused the house of representatives Thursday with a humorous speech, his first in congress, has made his initial appearance in this city at the West Side Republican Club's dinner.

Mr. Bede assured the gathering that his state, Minnesota, will favor the nomination of Roosevelt, and continued:

"In our country it would be a handicap for the candidate of either party to be ranked as a millionaire, though we are getting so rich that a majority of us will be millionaires after awhile. Events are moving rapidly and we have not had time to solve all our problems. Some people have complained because wealth has accumulated. Personally I have never complained of that. The trouble is we have learned to accumulate, but have not yet solved the problem of distribution. That is one of the problems of the future but it will solve itself if we give it time."

He closed by inviting the deomocratic party to disband and come over to his side.

PROTESTED GOING TO JAIL BECAUSE OF RESPECTABILITY

New York, Jan. 30.—A unique plea for clemency has been made by William Strauss and William Hass, who were found guilty of counterfeiting and selling labels. The judge who heard the case sentenced them by first announcing a fine of \$500 each. They seemed pleased at this, when the judge added, "10 days in prison," they sprang from their chairs in protest.

"Why, your honor," shouted Strauss, "I am a respectable man and I cannot go to prison."

"I cannot help that," replied the court. "It is the sentence of the court and you and Mr. Hass must serve 10 days." "But, your honor," cried Hass, "I am going to Europe on Thursday next. I have booked my passage and have my tickets. It will ruin me to go to jail."

"You tried to ruin many men by these counterfeit labels," said the judge, "and the sentence of the court will not be changed." Both remonstrated loudly as they were led away to jail.

NEW GYMNASIUM FORMALLY OPENED AND DEDICATED

Chicago, Jan. 30.—In the presence of 100 of the athletes of the University of Chicago, the faculty and 800 more of the students and friends of the institution, the new Frank Dickinson Bartlett gymnasium, the gift of A. C. Bartlett to the University of Chicago, has been formally opened and dedicated.

The corner stone was laid on Thanksgiving day, 1901, but work on the building has been interrupted several times by strikes. The amount originally given by Mr. Bartlett was \$135,000. Since the last plan was drawn the scope of the undertaking has been enlarged until now, with equipment, the building represents an outlay of nearly \$265,000.

INDIANS ARE UNFRIENDLY AND ATTACK GUNBOAT

Colon, Jan. 29.—The United States gunboat Bancroft arrived here today from San Blas coast. She reports that the attitude of the San Blas Indians at Caledonia bay to be not only unfriendly but decidedly aggressive. Boats containing about 200 attempted to attack the Bancroft, but were driven off by rapid fire guns.

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